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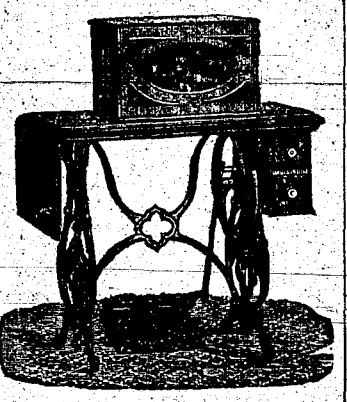
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NO. 5.

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FABER FANCIES.

Cooler, yet fine, beautiful weather.
The grading of the Court House
yard is just being finished.

Finn says flour has riz. \$1.60 a
bag at his house.

Mr. Richard Fay is a whole stump
machine by himself, and has about rid
T. Harrington's lot of all such enom-
brances.

The store of the Gratiwick, Smith
& Fryer Lumber Company, of Otsego
Lake, was destroyed by fire on Friday
last.

Several parties coming up the river
on the other day, report being chased
by 17 blood-thirsty mosquitoes, by ac-
tual count.

"An AuSable grayling is a Board-
man trout with an ounce of lightning
in him." So says a sportsman who
is angling in our favorite river.

Mr. J. M. Jones is having his new
lot plowed and fenced in, so as to crop
it, and at the same time keep out the
village cow.

Rev. N. J. Wheeler, of Kalamazoo,
will preach in Grayling Library
Hall next Sunday evening. Preaching
as usual in the morning.

The sidewalks in some portions of
the village are getting somewhat dilap-
idated, and needs reconstructing at the
hands of our village pathmaster.

An early remittance, either in part
or in full, by subscribers to the AVAL-
ANCHE, who feel that they are in our
debt, will greatly oblige the publisher.

The scratching season has fully set
in, but it is hard on the mosquitoes for
some fellows to lay to them what is
chargeable to the absence of a fine
tooth comb.

Through kindness of Rev. N. J.
Wheeler, of Kalamazoo, we are en-
abled to issue the AVALANCHE one day
in advance of time, so as to allow all
hands to go grayling fishing.

Mr. Phillip Moshier, Sen., left last
Thursday for Genesee county, where
he intends buying a farm near the
present one owned by him in that
county.

Mr. A. J. Rose returned from
Southern Michigan with his family last
week, and have taken up their abode
on his homestead a half mile from this
village.

Mr. E. M. Fletcher is cleaning up
his lot that he purchased of Esquire
Hadley last week, just in the rear of
the Postoffice, and it is said he might
possibly build on it during the Summer.

Rev. Dr. Wayland, of Philadel-
phia, editor of the National Baptist,
recently remarked at a banquet in Lon-
don, "An American is merely an Eng-
lishman who has had a fair chance."

Mr. Jasper Hoyt's new dwelling is
to be located on Michigan Ave., near
the residence of N. E. Britt, he having
purchased the lot of J. O. Hadley, and
engaged D. H. Buell to do the joiner
work.

If there should be any of our de-
linquent subscribers who have 50 cts., 75
cts., or even \$1.50 that they feel they can
spare us, just send it to this office and
we will see that they receive proper
credit.

Marshall Ticknor, of Gaylord, shot
and seriously wounded one Larkin,
who resisted arrest by the marshal on
Thursday last, in the village of Gay-
lord. It is thought the man will re-
cover.

We acknowledge the receipt of a
lengthy and somewhat interesting let-
ter in the nature of a communication
from Mr. J. C. Goodale, from Portland
Oregon, but we cannot give it space,
much as we would like to.

A body was found in the river just
below this village a few days since,
which was badly decomposed, and
emitted a terrible stench, and was
taken in hand by the board of health,
who ordered it buried—it was a calf!

A very popular book-clerk in one
of our large establishments went out
to recreate a little on the best day
of the week, and shot a little harmless
streaked snake with a big stick, and
came home much refreshed.

A very fine assortment of correct
time-keepers at Salling, Hanson & Co.'s
at only \$5 each. The greatest bargain
in a good watch ever offered in this
vicinity before. Go examine them, and
see if these facts are not so.

Burk's genuine E. B. cigars are
now on sale at the Exchange, and for
persons who love the weed and just
tries one of them, he'll want to puff
nothing else. We puffed, and now we
"puff" again—see it!

Rube Balbitz, who is out with N.
E. Britt on the survey, and while run-
ning a boat on a small lake near the
scene of their work, shot and killed a
large black bear, said to weigh about
300 pounds.

A. H. Swarthout returned from a
visit to his parents in Saginaw City
last Friday. While in the city he pur-
chased the fixtures for his law office,
which is fast nearing completion at the
hands of the carpenters.

Little Willie Masters met with a
painful accident one day last week
while playing with a playmate, in the
stepping on a nail which ran nearly
through his foot, and he now carries it
in a sling poulticed with salt pork.

Rev. Samuel Edgcombe left for
East Saginaw Monday, to attend the
S. S. Convention which convened there
at that date, after which he proceeds
to his old home in Lenawee county, to
rusticate for a few days.

Mr. Harriet Howker, of Provi-
dence, R. I., had not seen her husband
for twenty-four years, and supposed
him to be dead. Recently she heard
that he was at Saginaw, and wrote to
him, and found that he was doing a
thriving business there. She has just
rejoined him.

Letters addressed to the below
mentioned parties are remaining un-
called for in the Grayling postoffice:
Mr. Paul Mitchell, and W. S. Plumb,
Esq.

Persons calling for the above will
please say advertised.

W. A. MASTERS, Postmaster.

Mr. E. M. Fletcher goes to Portage
lake this week to lend a helping hand
in the upbuilding of those cottages,
mentioned last week, and takes his
family along, too, as a matter of con-
venience, as the culinary department
must be maintained, and the wants of
the inner man duly supplied.

FARM FOR SALE.
I have for sale cheap, a farm of 20
acres in northwest corner of Grayling
township, one and three-fourth miles
from the village of Grayling. For
particulars, call at my office at Gray-
ling.

We understand that our friend J.
Maurice Finn, is going to drop the
cures, tolls, vexations and perplexities
of the mercantile business just one day
next week, and devote the whole day
exclusively to the delightful task of a
good, square, honest, fish. Truly, a
most sensible way of bringing back the
waning vigor of such exhausting and
fatiguing labor.

On Friday last, as Mr. Henry Fil-
ley and Luther Smith were going up
the river in the vicinity of the new
bridge in Grove, their attention was
attracted by a fearful commotion in
shallow water near the shore, and on
looking to see the cause, discovered a
large sturgeon stranded and making
great efforts to get into deeper water.
They immediately jumped into the
stream with their poles and tried to
capture him, but he was too wary and
eluding them escaped into deeper water
and in safety. They said it was a
monster, and fully four feet long.

Don't take any chances on life
when Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver
Cure will regulate and keep you healthy
at all times.

Mrs. Hugh Fletcher, of Kalkaska
county, had the nerve to follow and
keep in sight a large black bear about
a half mile, one day last week, while
her husband went to get his gun to
kill it, but he only succeeded in badly
wounding it, when it escaped to the
woods. We'll venture the assertion
that had he given her the gun she'd
have shot the wad right into Mr. Bru-
in for keeps.

Dr. N. H. Traver is showing some
40 different styles and patterns of car-
pets from one of the leading houses in
Chicago, which he offers at prices never
before heard of in this section. He
also has a neat device, recently pat-
ented, which is called the Carpet Ex-
hibitor, which will accurately show
from a very small piece of carpet, by
placing it in it, the carpet as it would
appear in a large room neatly put
down and ready for use.

Mr. Geo. Fauble of Grove town-
ship, lost a valuable ox a few days ago.
The animal was running at large with
others, and not returning at night, a
search was instituted but without avail
until a week had elapsed, when it was
discovered in a dying condition in a
mire hole, as also the bones of a val-
uable cow, near by, which was also lost
by Mr. Fauble last fall, whose where-
abouts diligent search had heretofore
failed to disclose.

The Commercial Hotel at Gaylord,
owned and occupied by Mr. Robinson,
was burned to the ground on Sunday
the 22d inst. The greater portion of
the furniture was saved together with
nearly all the effects of the boarders.

The building was insured in two
companies to the amount of \$3,800.

Steps have already been taken by
Mr. Robinson to rebuild, as it is a de-
sirable location, and an urgent neces-
sity to that fast growing and prosperous
village.

Correspondents will please re-
member that brevity in writing is a
great virtue, and that the printer has
many tasks imposed upon him aside
from deciphering poorly written and
lengthy communications. Many a
worthy article has been consigned to
the waste-basket, whereas had they
been in a more legible hand they would
have astonished, if not electrified a
whole community.

The frequent showers of the past
few days were most welcome and op-
portune, as they have not only given
an impetus to all vegetation, but put
out the numerous and sundry forest
fires raging around the country which
were working such fearful havoc with
not only valuable timber, but en-
dangering the homes of many settlers
—some even having been devoured by
the fiery element.

Mr. P. L. K. Fish, Druggist, How-
ard City, Mich., says: "I have sold
and used Port's Western Liniment and
can recommend it to all for family use,
and also as the best horse liniment in
use. I have sold his other medicines
and they give good satisfaction.

For sale by N. H. Traver, M. D.,
Grayling, and S. Hutt, Pere Cheney,
who are authorized to give a positive
warrantee on all of Port's medicines.

The M. E. Social at the Hall last
Saturday evening, was a very enjoya-
ble affair, and quite a success finan-
cially. The net proceeds as we are in-
formed, exceeding twenty dollars. A
goodly number were present, and mirth
and jollity prevailed until a late hour.
While the majority were regaling them-
selves on ice cream, lemonade and
other good things furnished for the oc-
casion, excellent music was rendered
by some of the ladies and gentlemen.
Much credit is due the ladies of the
Society, who were untiring in their
efforts to make it a success.

On Thursday evening last, at about
midnight, the inmates of the residence
of Mr. A. C. Wilson, in South Branch,
were awakened by a dense volume of
smoke which seemed to pervade the
whole house, and which was then dis-
covered to be on fire, when they im-
mediately vacated the doomed structure,
barely having time so to do, as the
roof fell in with a loud crash, sending
the sparks high in air just as they got
safely out, and as it was, Mrs. Wilson
had her face burned some, and others
of the family got their hair badly
singled. The building was a large log
structure and quite a good one, which
together with the contents is a total
loss to Mr. Wilson of some \$600. There
were 24 bushels of potatoes in bags
stowed away under the porch, which
were also burned, as was also a bor-
rowed double harness belonging to a
neighbor, which hung on the porch.

Mr. Wilson and family were taken to
Rosecommon and provided with suita-
ble clothing by kind and sympathizing
friends.

We do not claim, Mr. Avalanche,
that our trout will outweigh your gray-
ling. But we do claim that the streams
near this village, (the Boardman and
Rapid rivers), are far the best trout
streams in Northern Michigan, and al-
so that it is a very large grayling that
weighs over three pounds. When you
catch a grayling that beats our trout,
just let us know.—[Kalkaskaian.

The ready pen of brother Sweet in
thus trying to convince his readers of
the superiority of their trout (as he is
pleased to term the speckled minnows
of the Rapid and Boardman creeks)
over the grayling, has resorted to fal-
lacious arguments by ignoring the fact
that the grayling is classed by scientists
as a species of trout, and considered
by them and sportsmen of superior fla-
vor to any fish in Northern Michigan. If
the editor of the Kalkaskaian has ever
seen a grayling trout, he will certainly
admit that they are a much finer formed
fish than the brook trout. We admit
that they are not so difficult to catch
as the trout, and perhaps do not grow
so large; but of their superiority there
can be no doubt, especially in flavor,
because the waters of the AuSable and
Manistee, rivers near Grayling, we be-
lieve to be purer, and colder than
those of the Rapid or Boardman.

Our beautiful AuSable may not be
as productive of snakes and mosquitoes
as either of the aforesaid streams, but
for good fishing, beauty of scenery and
swift-running waters, it knocks the
stuffing out of any stream in Northern
Michigan. And, if the editor of the
Kalkaskaian, or any other man will
spend a few days down our famous
river, catch 150 grayling in one day,
(which is frequently done), and in the
excitement consequent upon pulling in
three large grayling on one line and all
at the same time; allow his boat to be
pulled under a sweeper and himself
knocked out and nearly drowned, as
we have, he will appreciate all we have
said.

Correspondence.
SOUTH BRANCH, May 20, 1881.

Editor Avalanche.—Our society met
at their usual place of holding their
meetings last Wednesday evening, it
being the anniversary of the inaugura-
tion of said society. We had a feast,
as usual, for without it we would not
be at home. We were honored by the
presence of Rev. Benj. Reeves, of Ros-
common; and a few others from the
same place. Rev. Reeves gave a short
but very appreciative address on the
occasion, touching the growth and im-
provement of the society. Afterward
they braced up the inner man, as that
has to be looked after as well as the
intellect. After the supper the elder
gave us a very eloquent address, taking
for his subject the benefit of the liter-
ary society and the intellectual growth
of mankind. Mr. E. Raze also gave
us a treat by way of a fine address, on
the subject of woman, and you may
rest assured he done the subject justice.

After this the regular business of the
society was taken up and a full set of
officers elected for the ensuing three
months, to-wit: D. S. Waldron Presi-
dent, Mrs. H. G. Wiley Secy, and
Mrs. W. C. Johnson Treasurer.

The meeting then adjourned for one week
with the best of spirits.

MRS. A. E. W.

SOUTH BRANCH, May 20, 1881.

Editor Avalanche.—We have had
that long looked for rain and everything
looks nice, and when they say we do
not live in a country that is as pro-
ductive as the most parts of the State,
we are sure of one thing, we get pay
for all we do, for we don't pretend to
more than half do what is done.

To show how far I am correct I will give
one instance how some do their farm
work: A Mr. James Hyslop, living
near the head of Higgins lake, put out
a crop of potatoes last year, and when
time to dig them, was away from home.

So he didn't secure his potatoes for
winters' use, but this spring, thinking
to try his luck again, commenced
plowing the land and to his surprise he
plowed out over 40 bushels of nice
merchantable potatoes. So, you see,
if we don't work we get returns for
what little we do. Notwithstanding
the winter was so cold everywhere, the
frost didn't penetrate to the home of
the potato in its mother earth in our
county.

Your correspondent is trying his
hand at farming a little, putting in 5
acres of potatoes and 6 of corn, 1 of
spring wheat with a fair sized garden.

HALL TOWNSHIP, May 22, 1881.

Editor Avalanche.—Allow me to say
to the readers of your valuable paper
that we still live, although the sand
flies and mosquitoes have nearly eaten
us up during the past week.

We have lettuce and radishes nearly
large enough to use, and think that is
as well as they can do in Southern
Mich. in that line.

Potatoes are up and Mr. Potato
Bug is paying us a visit, but a little

paris green will fix him.

Mr. W. R. Parish has bought the S
of the S E 1 of Sec. 31, in this town-
ship, for which he paid \$5 per acre. It
is hardwood land, and Mr. Parish
thinks it will make him a good farm,
and we have no doubt that it will.

I noticed in your paper under date
of May 19th, a suggestion from Judge
Waldron to form a farmers club, which
we think would be very beneficial
to the people of our county.

RAWLINS.
GRAYLING, May 31, 1881.

Editor Avalanche.—My attention
was called to the communications in
the two last issues of your paper from
South Branch and Grove townships,
and I read with interest their contents.
Perhaps it is not my place, nor proper
for me to enter into a discussion on the
merits of the question proposed by
your correspondents, for I am not a
farmer; but I have been a farmer, and
am now very much interested in farm-
ing,—this is what prompts me to write,
and if I am intruding, pray pardon on
this plea.

To apply the phrase "book farmer"
to a man who outwits the soil, was a
few years ago, to ridicule him, and
make him an object of derision; but
in these "latter days" we look upon the
book farmer in another light. The
term no longer means a man visionary,
unpractical, and of course, unsuccess-
ful; but a reading farmer, one who
enjoys finding out all he can of the
"ins and outs" of his business, and is
studious and thoughtful; noting the
contents of the best agricultural pa-
pers and reports; experimenting when
necessary to discover what crops are
best adapted to his soil, or what fer-
tilizers will adapt the soil to certain crops;
attending farmers associations where he
can both receive and give experience,
and in this way gathering knowledge
which will make him master of his pro-
fession, which of all other professions
alone is independent.

Your correspondent from Grove has
truly said that "farming is a science
that required more study and fore-
thought than any other trade." It is
an art; as much of a mechanical and
technical nature as working in metals,
manufacturing cotton or linen goods,
painting or house building, and these
are described and taught in books.
There is no other art in which so much
can be gained by a proper application
of its principles than agriculture. It
is an art, and a science, because the
basis of its principles could never have
been learned or comprehended by the
mere practical work in the field, but
depend upon scientific investigation
for their discovery.

Are there "book farmers" enough in
Crawford county? The call for a farm-
ers club is, as I take it, a call for more
"book farmers;" or rather, for a means
for further developing "book farming."

I hope such an organization will be
perfected. The peculiarities of this
soil—demand—experiment—and each
farmer should be able to profit by the
experiments of others, and they by his.

Nothing will enable them to do this
but a farmers organization.

Perhaps, Mr. Editor, I am presum-
ing too much by writing so long an
article, but the subject cannot be com-
pressed in one article. I will try and
be more moderate next time.

Yours, Respectfully,
A. H. SWARTHOUT.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
LAND OFFICE AT EAST SAGINAW, MICH.,
April 29, 1881.

NOTICE is hereby given that the follow-
ing named settler has filed notice of his in-
tention to make final proof in support of his claim,
and that said proof will be made before the
County Clerk of Crawford Co., Mich., at Gray-
ling, on the 14th day of June, 1881, to-wit:

Charles Ball, of Crawford County, Mich., for
the S 1/4 of SW 1/4, and S 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 10, T. 25 N.
R. 1 W., and names the following witnesses to
prove his continuous residence upon, and cul-
tivation of, said land, viz:

George Parish, Wm. Mapes, John W. Mapes,
ARTHUR O. Atwood, all of Rosecommon P. O.

CHARLES BALL, Register.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.
In the matter of the estate of John Costello,
deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a
license and authority granted to me by the
Probate Court of the County of Crawford, and
State of Michigan, I will sell at public auction,
on the premises to the highest bidder, in the Town-
ship of Center Plains, County of Crawford, on
Monday, the 20th day of June, 1881, at one o'clock
in the afternoon, all the right, title and interest
of said deceased, of, in and to the real estate de-
scribed as follows, to-wit: The south-west quar-
ter of Sec. twenty-eight [28] Town twenty-five
[25] north of Range three [3] West.

CHARLES D. VINCENT,
Administrator.

U. S. LAND OFFICE.
Reed City, Mich., May 4, 1881.

Complaint having been entered at this office by
Reuben S. Babbitt against David R. Spencer for
abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 734, dated
July 17th, 1878, upon the W 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 38,
T. 22 N. R. 4 W., in Crawford County, Mich.,
with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the
said parties are hereby summoned to appear at
this office on the 16th day of June, 1881, at 12
o'clock M., to respond and furnish testimony con-
cerning said alleged abandonment.

EDWARD STEVENSON, Register.
W. H. C. MITCHELL, Receiver.

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STATIONS.	7:00 a.m.	10:10 p.m.	6:30 a.m.
Jackson	7:00	10:10	6:30
River Junction	7:25	10:35	7:05
Mason	8:02	11:12	7:50
Holt	8:15	11:25	8:10
Lansing	8:35	11:45	8:30
North Lansing	8:55	12:05	8:50
Bath	9:07	12:17	9:02
Lansingburg	9:25	12:35	9:20
Washington	9:40	12:50	9:35
D. & M. Crossing	9:58	1:08	9:53
Owosso	10:05	1:15	10:00
Oakley	10:18	1:28	10:13
Cheesaning	10:28	1:38	10:23
St. Charles	10:48	1:58	10:43
Tittabawassee	11:13	2:23	11:08
Saginaw City	11:28	2:38	11:23
E. Saginaw	11:38	2:48	11:33
F. & P. M. Junction	11:43	2:53	11:48
Flint	11:50	3:00	11:55
West Bay City	12:16 p.m.	3:26	12:11
Bay City	12:25	3:35	12:20

STATIONS.

STATIONS.	6:30 a.m.	4:45 p.m.	8:30 a.m.
Bay City	6:30	4:45	8:30
West Bay City	7:02	5:17	9:02
F. & P. M. Junction	7:13	5:28	9:13
E. Saginaw	7:15	5:30	9:15
Saginaw City	7:23	5:38	9:23
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Lansingburg	8:45	6:55	10:45
Bath	8:55	7:05	10:55
North Lansing	9:08	7:18	11:08
Lansing	9:10	7:20	11:10
Holt	9:30	7:40	11:30
Mason	9:45	7:55	11:45
River Junction	10:05	8:15	12:05
Jackson	10:15	8:25	12:15

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STATIONS.	Freight	Mail
West Bay City	8:15 a.m.	8:15 a.m.
Bay City	8:45	8:45
Kawakawla	9:05	9:05
Pineconing	10:05	10:05
Standish	11:05	11:05
Wells	12:30 p.m.	12:30 p.m.
West Branch	2:30	2:30
St. Helena	3:30	3:30
Rosecommon	4:30	4:30
Grayling	5:30 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Osgo Lake	6:30	6:30
Gaylord	8:05	8:05

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Kawakawla	4:05	4:05
West Bay City	4:20	4:20

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